

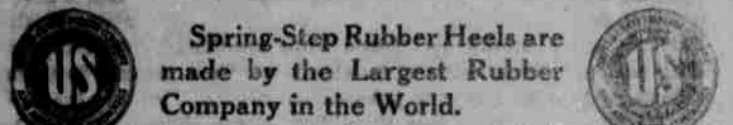


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Any reliable dealer or repair shop will put a pair of Spring-Step Rubber Heels on your shoes for 50 cents.



Much Trouble Encountered Enacting Just Auto Laws

While the automobile trade has been steadily progressing in the direction of cutting down the cost of cars and their maintenance, the thoughts of the lawmakers on motor cars has not been so happily directed.

The touring bureau of the American Automobile association has just completed a codification of the automobile laws as they are at the present writing. This codification will soon be ready for distribution and a copy may be had by sending to the national headquarters of the association at Washington or New York.

A casual study will demonstrate that automobiles are essentially sub-

jects for class legislation in most of the states. Not only are they taxed as users of the highways, but, with some exceptions, they are also taxed as personal property. They are also states which have a third means of making the motor car owner pay. In these the owner is compelled to take out a permit to use his own property for personal pleasure.

The notable exceptions wherein the paying of one tax definitely bars all other forms are in the states of New York, Idaho, Iowa and Oklahoma. These commonwealths specifically provide that registration is in lieu of all other taxes. To this list should be added Pennsylvania and Vermont, wherein there are no added taxes, though not so specifically provided for in the legislative acts.

Those states where the owner is required to pay a third tax are Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey and District of Columbia. In Vermont, while escaping the property tax, the owner pays for a driving license.

Considerably more sanity has been written into the laws regulating the speed both in municipalities and on the open road. This section shows that almost unanimously it is now realized that "unreasonable and prudent" are, after all, the same viewpoints of operation.

Reasoning expression of how automobiles ought to be driven rather leads to the hope that the speed regulations will sooner or later bring about an equally unanimous set of miles-per-hour rates for definite conditions until such time as a law like Louisiana's obtains everywhere. As now listed, there are just varied in the mileage rate, though rather alike in their objectives, to create confusion on the part of the interstate tourists.

Louisiana recognizes that miles-per-hour restrictions do not guarantee a sane use of the highways by all its users, and particularly those passing vehicles of great speed. It places a direct responsibility on all concerned and should result in rate of speed harmonizing with existing traffic conditions.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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IN REAL WILD WEST STYLE, THIS PAIR ARE SPLICED

BOOTED AND SPURRED THEY RIDE TO COURT HOUSE FOR "JOY PAPERS"

Madison, Aug. 9.—Hiding "home" all the way from Kinta, which is down in Blakely county, Nettie Colbert, 22, a pretty cowgirl, and Bill Colbert, also 22, and a typical cowboy, arrived in Muskogee Saturday, rode to the courthouse, obtained a marriage license and with Tom Blunt a cowboy friend, and Jack, a faithful dog, both of whom had made the overland trip with them, as witnesses, were married by Justice of the Peace W. G. Miller.

"It's a gay life, a free life, it's a happy life for me," sang Colbert as he entered Miller's office and his bride-to-be chimed in with:

"It's a gay life, a free life, it's a cowgirl's life for me."

In many respects it was a startling wedding for the justice to say the least. Colbert, a great big, handsome, blonde, strode into the office looking anything but a bridegroom. First one noticed his wide-brimmed white Stetson with a snake skin hat band. Then one came to a pale blue silk shirt, open enough at the neck to show a good deal of brown muscles. But his trousers furnished the great surprise for Bill Colbert yesterday wore "chaps" when he was married. His apron finished the remaining peculiarities.

The girl was dark-haired and her eyes, as the novelists say, were nothing but big, dark pools of blue. Her hair was braided down her back and she wore the cowgirl's khaki with good effect.

Tom Blunt was dressed a good deal like Colbert, who insisted that his name was "Bill." The dog was a beauty and no sooner had the justice completed the ceremony than he sprang into the air with a joyful bark that had only one interpretation. He knew what was going on.

"We rode from Kinta just for the fun of it," stated Bill. "We left there about sundown Tuesday and we took our time. Yes, there were several county seats nearer but we wanted to come to Muskogee."

Colbert is a cattleman and a nephew of Chief Green McCurtain of the Choctaw Indians.

OF INTEREST TO PEACH GROWERS

P. J. Hoffman of the Guthrie Tent and Awning company has everything needed by the peach grower. Tents, sheds, wagon and table covers; baskets of shoulder straps and peach sacks. Everything made of canvas. Call Phone 548 for prompt service.

Grapes for sale. Phone Z V. Hall, K-55, and get the best.

All members of Fraternal Aid Union are requested to be present Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at McNulty hall, important business. Rose Hulme, President; Mae E. Vampner, Secy.

SENATOR GORE ORATES AT DEMOCRATIC CABFEST

Sabetha, Kan., Aug. 8.—Sunday was Democrat day at the chauntauqua. Senator Gore was the orator. He was introduced by Senator W. C. Thompson, who is a former Sabetha boy, who is a close personal friend of the blind senator. Today the natives salute all comers. Hon. Francis Marion Pearl of the Kansas Democrat is in all points of vantage.

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KANSAN BEATS FLOOD BY BUYING SHEEP

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 9.—Sheep as a means of beating floods and saving the damaged wheat crop will be employed by E. T. Estes of Adlene on his farm in the Solomon river valley. Mr. Estes was in Topeka Saturday attending a flood prevention conference in the office of Governor Carpenter.

"My wheat crop was overflowed three times," said Mr. Estes, "and it is almost flat on the ground. I can't cut it, and if I could, it would be blackened and spoiled. So I am going to buy 500 head of sheep and turn them loose on it. They will eat anything and I think I can get almost regular market price for that crop."

Mr. Estes had 80 acres in wheat. He is the proprietor of the Union Pacific hotel and has lived in Adlene for over eighteen years.

Despondency Due to Indigestion.
"About three months ago when I suffered from indigestion which caused headache and dizzy spells and made me feel tired and despondent I began taking Chamberlain's Tablets," writes Mrs. Geo. Hon. Macedon, N. Y. "This medicine proved to be the very thing I needed (as one day's treatment relieved me greatly). I used two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets and they rid me of this trouble." Obtainable everywhere.

A Rheumatism Help.
My husband, writes a New England woman in Farm and Home, had rheumatism in his shoulder so badly that he could not dress himself, and after trying all sorts of medical and electrical treatments without effect, a doctor advised him to take pure olive oil, a tablespoon three times a day. He did this, and in less than a month the lameness was gone.

The Clerk Guaranteed It.

"A customer came into my store the other day and said to one of my clerks, 'have you anything that will cure diarrhoea?' and my clerk went and got him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and said to him, 'if this does not cure you, I will not charge you a cent for it.' So he took it home and came back in a day or two and said he was cured," writes J. H. Perry & Co., Salt Creek, Va. Obtainable everywhere.

TRAMP WHO SAVES TRAIN REFUSES TO TELL NAME

Morrill, Kan., Aug. 9.—This is the story of one tramp who did good for the railroad on whose territory he was trespassing. Walking the ties between Sabetha and here he noticed a culvert over which a Grand Island freight had just passed, go down, and flagged an approaching passenger train, preventing a wreck, according to officials. He refused to give his name.

Sluggish Liver Causes Trouble.
The discomfort and dangers of hot weather are doubled if the liver is sluggish and the bowels inactive. Foley Cathartic Tablets are prompt, wholesome and effective in action without griping or pain. If you feel lazy and languid, bloated or overfull, a Foley Cathartic Tablet will help you. Stool persons welcome the light and free feeling they bring. Sold everywhere.

WOMAN PHOTOGRAPHED WHILE STEALING CHICKENS

Wichita, Kan., Aug. 9.—Convicted by a photograph of stealing two pounds of cucumbers valued at 10 cents, Mrs. Robert Williams, wife of a laborer, was fined \$10 and costs in the city courts.

The cucumbers were from the truck patch of H. A. Knowles, a netter, who particularly fond of cucumbers, had in his garden this year every kind of vegetable known, except cucumbers, invariably just as the vegetables became ripe enough to eat they disappeared. Knowles' picture showed Mrs. Williams stepping across the garden, her apron full of the succulent vegetables.

THE NUN SHAVED AND A GERMAN SPY WAS CAUGHT

GIRL COMPANION IN STATE-ROOM OF SHIP MAKES STARTLING DISCOVERY

New York, Aug. 9.—One of the most interesting recollections of the German system of espionage has just reached this city in a letter from Lorne Cameron, an officer in one of the first Canadian regiments to be transported to England. Cameron took his wife along so that he could establish her in England before he was ordered to the firing line.

Before leaving Winnipeg the Camerons were asked if they would take charge of a young English girl who was returning home and see that she was delivered safely at her destination. They agreed and set about getting her accommodations. They found the ship crowded, and the girl was obliged to share a stateroom with a nun. This was satisfactory enough, as the nun kept much to herself, and the first two days of the crossing passed without incident.

On the night of the third day out the young girl awoke some hours after she had retired, and glancing over the high rail of her berth was astonished to notice a light behind the curtains of the nun's berth across the stateroom. Altering her position quietly the girl was able to peep between them. To her horror she saw the nun crouched in front of a small mirror shaving!

Pluckily restraining her desire to scream the girl closed her eyes and remained perfectly still until well after daybreak, when she slipped on her bathrobe and hurried to the cabin of her guardians. Cameron notified the captain immediately of what the girl had seen, and the "nun" was promptly investigated.

Stripped of her cloistering head dress the sweet-faced sister proved to be a blonde and gentlemanly young German spy. He was placed in irons and turned over to the military authorities on the ship's arrival in England.

Recommends Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.
"I never hesitate to recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes Sol Wilkins, merchant, Jesse, Tenn. "I sell more of it than of any other preparations of like character. I have used it myself and found it gave me more relief than anything else I have ever tried for the same purpose." Obtainable everywhere.

MACHINE GUN ON AEROPLANE PROVES DEADLY

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The French give out no figures of their losses. A number of accidents are known, however, and among them some that give a vivid impression of the dangers run by the bombardment section of the flying corps. Captain D— was about to take the air for a raid, and the machine gun man with him, was preparing a shell at 1800 meters high, when he awkwardly let it fall upon the frame. The shock exploded the projectile and blew the apparatus and men to pieces.

A similar accident occurred to the English aviator, Captain C—. While he was taking aboard his supply of ammunition, a bomb fell to the ground, exploded, destroyed the machine, the pilot and 12 machinists who were standing by.

M— P—, caught in the clouds on a severely cold day, came out at a height of 1200 yards, so benumbed that he lost control of his machine and fell to his death.

Lieutenant N— was reconnoitering with an observer whose scarf became unwound in the wind and caught in the propeller, precipitating the machine to the ground.

YOUR BODY

Protests Against Calomel

You have noticed the disagreeable effects of calomel, that sickening nausea that is characteristic. There is no reason for tearing up your system in such a drastic manner.

LIV-VER-LAX, that wonderful vegetable compound, is just as useful as calomel for toning up your liver and ridding your system of stagnating poisons, and it does not make you feel badly like calomel. It is pleasant to take with no unpleasant after effects. Keep it in your home for health's sake.

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A mystery? No—but you'll be mighty glad when you find "yours"

If fatima isn't "yours," try some other good one.

you think you've guessed it, But—?

TO DOUBLE WEST POINT ENROLLMENT, SAYS CHAMP

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 9.—Speaker Champ Clark in an interview here said he would introduce in the next congress a bill doubling the enrollment at the West Point military academy and at the Annapolis naval academy. The bill also will provide government aid for schools throughout the country that have military departments.

"The country can get all the volunteers it wants in 48 hours," said the speaker. "The great need is for officers to train them."

CHILDREN'S SUMMER COLDS.

It is wrong to neglect a cold at any time because it weakens the system and lays the sufferer open to attack from other diseases. Wet feet, and sudden changes in temperature and sleeping uncovered at night cause many children's colds in summer. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound gives sure and prompt relief. Sold everywhere.

Poison Ivy Cure.

This is what we use in our family for poison ivy cure, says a writer in Farm and Home: Taney tea made good and strong—wash affected parts frequently, and drink some three or four times a day. Make it nice and fresh for every drink. It is blood cooling and purifying, and it seems to make one less susceptible to the poison.

CALOMEL IS MERCURY! IT SICKENS! ACTS ON LIVER LIKE DYNAMITE

"Dodson's Liver Tone" Starts Your Liver Better Than Calomel and Doesn't Salivate or Make You Sick.

Listen to me! Take no more sickening, salivating calomel when bilious or constipated. Don't lose a day's work! Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with your bile crashes into it, breaking it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. If you are sluggish and "all knooped out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone on my guarantee.

Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a spoonful to night and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous by morning I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it can not salivate or make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

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